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- 1. Amendment Transmittal in duplicate;**
- 2. Petition for Extension of time in duplicate; and**
- 3. Response to the Office Action mailed February 26, 2004**

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PATENT APPLICATION

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Title: Systems and Methods For Assembling and Binding Publications

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EXTENSION FEE	1ST MONTH \$110.00	2ND MONTH \$420.00	3RD MONTH \$950.00	4TH MONTH \$1480.00		\$ 110
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Respectfully submitted,

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